

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives recognize the institution of marriage as one of the cornerstones of a healthy and vibrant society; and

**Whereas**, Billy and Lyla Marshall will celebrate and observe their fiftieth wedding anniversary on April 7, 2007, at a dinner and dance hosted by their children at the Johnson County Fairgrounds; and

**Whereas**, Billy Marshall took the hand of his beautiful bride, Lyla Doerflinger, on April 7, 1957, at a solemn ceremony at the Methodist Church in Warrensburg, Missouri, with the Rev. Robert Arbaugh officiating and with Rodger Owings standing as best man and Ann Marshall Ludlam attending as maid of honor; and

**Whereas**, Billy and Lyla Marshall have delighted their community and beyond with their country-music talents, having entertained thousands of people over the years; and

**Whereas**, Billy and Lyla Marshall are the proud parents of three children, Babs Marshall Bratten, Dale Marshall, and Cathy Marshall Dandurand:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our hearty congratulations on the momentous occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary and wish them every happiness in their years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Billy Marshall, of Warrensburg, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative David Pearce  
District No. 121

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_, 2007.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker